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**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

- Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

**STATUS**

- Applicant is a small entity. A statement was already filed.

**EXTENSION OF TERM**

- The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

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CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE			ADDIT. FEE		
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INDEP.	1	—	3	=	0	x \$ 100.00	=	\$ 0.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM					+	\$ 0.00	=	\$ 0.00
					TOTAL ADDIT. FEE		\$	0.00

No additional fee for claims is required.

### FEE DEFICIENCY

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**RESPONSE TO PROVOKE ADVISORY ACTION**

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Dear Sir:

This is an amendment and response to the Final Office Action dated April 4, 2006, and is intended to be responsive to each and every issue raised in that Action. The amendment and response are being deposited as First Class Mail on the date noted on the attached Certificate of Mailing and are believed to be filed within the three-month shortened statutory period for response that was set in the Action. In fact, the amendment and response are believed to be filed within two months of the mailing date of the Final Office Action. Please charge any extension fees that may be required to Deposit Account No. 50-2548.